

Trimmer**Abstract**

A trimmer comprises a cutting head (1) housing a cutter (5), and a shaft (2) for
5 supporting the cutting head. A large diameter wheel (8) is rotatably mounted with
respect to the cutting head (1), and a motor is provided for driving the cutter (5) via
drive means (7). The cutting head (1) is connected to the shaft (2) by connection
means permitting the cutting head to be positioned with its cutter (5) either
substantially horizontal or substantially vertical. The wheel (8) is sized to contact the
10 ground when the cutter (5) is substantially vertical and to circumscribe the axis of the
drive means (7). The arrangement is such that the cutter (5) extends beyond the
circumference of the wheel (8).